

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS.

EDITORIAL OPINIONS OF THE LEADING JOURNALS UPON CURRENT TOPICS—COMPILED EVERY DAY FOR THE EVENING TELEGRAPH.

DEMOCRATIC SIGNS OF THE TIMES.

From the N. Y. Times. We have recently more than once pointed out the evidences of a movement in the ranks of the Democracy based upon a demand for new leaders and new issues.

These manifestations of discontent are mainly confined to the West; they are incidents of the vigorous growth which points to the future, and which chafes under an Eastern control that lives but in the past.

Evil days now appears to prove that the actions of the lustrous protestations of the West have reached the recesses of the Democratic sanctuary. The oracles here and at Boston have spoken in terms which indicate the significance of the Western outcry, and the difficulties that will be encountered by the party in the preparation of its next programme.

Still more suggestive is the language of the Boston Post, a time-honored and consistent champion of Democracy pure and simple. The World has before now been suspected, and its words may carry little weight.

But will the great men of the party listen to these counsels? Will the influences which had expression in the nomination of Seymour quietly yield to the influences which were on the side of Chase?

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ordinary were there no movements afoot looking for some other champion for the succession. But very remarkable becomes this universal silence in reference to General Grant when we find, for instance, Mr. Colfax trotted out on one place and Mr. Boutwell in another as the coming man, and we cannot avoid a certain line of reasoning when we are informed that Mr. Sumner is riding the Alabama claims question as a Presidential hobby, and that General Butler is engineering the administration of the negro question in order for 1872, to secure the inside track.

Under any circumstances these Presidential movements, upon the question of time, in behalf of Colfax, Sumner, Butler, or any other new man, would be unwise and a waste of labor; but in view of the great issues upon which this administration is to stand or fall, it is utterly preposterous on the part of this or that Republican clique to be pipe-laying now for 1872.

On the Alabama claims we must be content to await the lifting of the curtain; and so with regard to Cuba, upon which question we expect the curtain to be lifted a month or two hence, with the official disclosure of the overtures of our new Minister, General Sickles, to the Spanish minister, Sr. Serrano.

At all events, the experience of the last forty years has taught us that the surest way to kill off Presidential candidates is to trot them out before the time.

FROM OCEAN TO OCEAN.

"Nobody can realize how great a work this has been until he takes the long ride of four or five days and nights, through dreary wastes and unbroken solitude." So wrote our special correspondent when he reached San Francisco the other day by the new railway, after crossing the whole North American continent, and passing on the route through every variety of climate and every variety of country.

PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES.

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kind. The engine factories and car-shops are turning out rolling stock with extraordinary speed. New stations are springing up wherever the wants of travellers seem to call for them.

THE NEUTRALITY FARCE.

The farce of enforcing the neutrality laws now being played in this city could be put upon the boards by no other manager than President Grant. The enlistment of a few men in or around the ship-yard of Messrs. Laird, Birkenhead, England, to serve on board the Alabama, and their subsequent transportation, near one of the islands of the Azores, on board that cruiser, have excited in this country marvels of denunciation of English officials.

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Common Council be authorized to publish in two daily newspapers of this city, daily for four weeks, the ordinance presented to the Common Council on Thursday, June 24, 1869, entitled "An Ordinance to Authorize a Loan for the Payment of Ground Rents and Mortgages."

It was President Grant who, in his inaugural, said: "In regard to foreign policy, I would deal with nations as equitable law requires individuals to deal with each other."

THE DUTY OF THE HOUR.

The very general lull in politics at present should not be a spell of inactivity on the part of the Democrats. This is just the time for energetic work. Again and again has it been urged by us that the really effective work of a political party is done between, rather than during, the great campaigns.

I. The Democrats in every town in the country should organize themselves at once. As the first step, let some one invite a number of brother Democrats to meet at his house on a specified evening, and by a very simple process a president, secretary, and executive committee can be chosen.

II. The organization thus completed and a brief constitution and a brief programme framed, stating its objects and aims, a room should be secured, in which meetings should be held as often as once in two or three weeks during the interval of political campaigns.

III. Such a club should keep itself in communication with the Democratic committees of its county and State, in order that, at the proper time, it may be supplied with documents for use during a campaign, as well as to afford these committees the information that they must have to make an efficient canvass.

IV. It is not necessary that at every meeting of the club speeches should be made. They are tributary, but not essential, to its success. Sure it is that, if the club is infused with the vitality which it cannot fail to possess if its members are wide-awake to their duty, there will be no lack of speeches, and good speeches too.

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CITY ORDINANCES. COMMON COUNCIL OF PHILADELPHIA. CLERK'S OFFICE. PHILADELPHIA, June 25, 1869. In accordance with a Resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, on Thursday, the twenty-fourth day of June, 1869, the annexed bill, entitled "An Ordinance to Authorize a Loan for the Payment of Ground Rents and Mortgages," is hereby published for public information.

AN ORDINANCE TO Authorize a Loan for the Payment of Ground Rents and Mortgages. Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the Mayor of Philadelphia be and he is hereby authorized to borrow, at not less than par, on the credit of the city, from time to time, seven hundred thousand dollars, for the payment of ground rents and mortgages held against the city, for which interest not to exceed the rate of six per cent per annum shall be paid, half year, on the first days of January and July, at the office of the City Treasurer.

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